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In re application of:

Applicants : Mark C. Schmidt et al.

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Title: AUTOMATICALLY-ACTIVATED LASER SCANNING 2-D

BAR CODE SYMBOL READING SYSTEM EMPLOYING A VISIBLE LINEAR-TYPE LASER SCANNING PATTERN AND AN AUDIBLE FEEDBACK SIGNAL DURING SCAN DATA

CAPTURING AND BUFFERING OPERATIONS

Examiner : Ahshik Kim

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AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 312(a)

SIR:

Prior to payment of Issue Fee in the present Application, please amend the same as follows:

